

honey production



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1975 Annual Summary

Honey produced in the United States during 1975 totaled 197 million pounds -- up 6 percent from the 1974 crop, according to the Crop Reporting Board. The 1975 honey crop was produced by 4.2 million colonies, down 1 percent from the previous year. Yield of honey per colony was 47.2 pounds, compared with 44.1 in 1974. Beeswax production totaled 3.4 million pounds in 1975, down 2 percent from 1974.

In mid-December, producers reported 32.7 million pounds of honey on hand for sale, compared with stocks of 33.7 million pounds the previous year. Stocks in mid-December were 16.6 percent of the 1975 honey production compared with 18.2 percent in 1974.

Honey producers received an average price of 50.6 cents per pound for honey during 1975, nearly the same as the 1974 average which was the highest price on record. These prices relate to all wholesale and retail sales, extracted chunk and comb honey from apiaries owned by farmers and nonfarmers.

Extracted honey in wholesale lots sold for an average price of 48 cents per pound, 1 cent below the 1974 price. Unprocessed bulk honey in 60 pound containers averaged 50 cents per pound compared with 49 cents in 1974. Sales of processed bulk honey averaged 48 cents per pound, 2 cents below the price of a year earlier. Processed packaged sales averaged 63 cents per pound compared with 61 cents in 1974.

In 1975, prices received for retail sales of extracted honey averaged 71 cents per pound, 3 cents above 1974.

Sales of all chunk honey (wholesale and retail) averaged 87 cents per pound, 15 cents above a year earlier. Prices for all comb honey averaged 89 cents per pound compared with 84 cents in 1974.

Beeswax prices averaged \$1.02 per pound, 12 cents below the 1974 price.

MAJOR PRODUCING STATES:

Commercial production (apiaries with 300 or more colonies) in 20 major States totaled 107 million pounds. This is 2 percent more than the 105 million pounds expected in September and accounts for 54 percent of the Nation's 1975 honey flow. The commercial honey crop in the 20 States was produced by 1.7 million colonies. The yield per colony was 62.0 pounds and compares with the United States average of 47.2 pounds.

HONEY AND BEESWAX: PRODUCTION AND VALUE OF PRODUCTION,
AND HONEY STOCKS, 1965-75

YEAR	HONEY					BEESWAX				
	COLONIES	YIELD	PRODUCTION	PRICE	TOTAL	STOCKS	PRODUCTION	PRICE	TOTAL	
	OF	PER		PER	VALUE	ON		PER	VALUE	
	BEES	COLONY		POUND		HAND		POUND		
	1,000		1,000		1,000	1,000	1,000		1,000	
	COLONIES	POUNDS	LBS.	DOLLARS	DOLLARS	LBS.	LBS.	DOLLARS	DOLLARS	
1965	4,718	51.3	241,849	.178	43,011	57,679	4,697	.449	2,111	
1966	4,646	52.0	241,576	.174	41,929	55,340	4,615	.465	2,148	
1967	4,635	46.6	215,780	.156	33,678	56,733	4,386	.588	2,580	
1968	4,539	42.2	191,391	.169	32,400	41,021	3,797	.616	2,340	
1969	4,433	60.3	267,485	.175	46,742	62,743	5,171	.611	3,162	
1970	4,290	51.7	221,842	.174	38,550	50,575	4,377	.602	2,638	
1971	4,110	48.0	197,428	.218	43,100	30,907	3,585	.613	2,196	
1972	4,068	52.6	214,079	.302	64,619	29,835	3,988	.621	2,476	
1973	4,103	57.9	237,657	.444	105,434	37,663	4,231	.744	3,147	
1974	4,195	44.1	185,079	.510	94,372	33,748	3,405	1.14	3,891	
1975	4,163	47.2	196,540	.506	99,441	32,706	3,353	1.02	3,435	

HONEY: COMMERCIAL PRODUCTION IN APIARIES WITH 300 OR MORE COLONIES IN
20 MAJOR STATES, 1973-75

STATE	COLONIES OF BEES				YIELD PER COLONY				HONEY PRODUCTION			
	1973	1974	1975	AS % OF	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975	AS % OF	1975
				1974								1974
	(000)			PERCENT			POUNDS		(000)		PERCENT	
ARIZ	47	43	40	93	77	57	45	3,619	2,451	1,800	73	
CALIF	385	385	390	101	65	48	50	25,025	18,480	19,500	106	
COLO	31	31	30	97	54	85	73	1,674	2,635	2,190	83	
FLA	136	136	132	97	106	58	80	14,416	7,888	10,560	134	
GA	70	70	72	103	49	25	44	3,430	1,750	3,168	181	
IDAHO	91	93	96	103	60	64	44	5,460	5,952	4,224	71	
ILL	10	10	10	100	70	70	42	700	700	420	60	
IOWA	36	36	37	103	112	103	90	4,032	3,708	3,330	90	
MICH	54	58	57	98	85	47	55	4,590	2,726	3,135	115	
MINN	98	105	105	100	117	75	85	11,466	7,875	8,925	113	
MONT	75	77	75	97	102	89	95	7,650	6,833	7,125	104	
NEBR	110	123	126	102	75	84	51	8,250	10,332	6,426	62	
N Y	54	54	49	91	61	58	63	3,294	3,132	3,087	99	
N C	6	7	7	100	70	52	64	420	364	448	123	
N DAK	68	75	82	109	100	80	94	6,800	6,000	7,708	128	
OREG	25	23	21	91	55	48	45	1,375	1,104	945	86	
S DAK	125	138	150	109	110	50	71	13,750	6,900	10,650	154	
TEX	93	100	104	104	61	61	72	5,673	6,100	7,488	123	
WASH	76	75	77	103	47	34	37	3,572	2,550	2,849	112	
WIS	50	52	66	127	120	72	45	6,000	3,744	2,970	79	
20 STATES	1,640	1,691	1,726	102	80.0	59.9	62.0	131,196	101,244	106,948	106	

HONEY PRODUCTION, 1973-75

STATE	COLONIES OF BEES				YIELD PER COLONY			HONEY PRODUCTION			
	1973	1974	1975	AS % OF 1974	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975	AS % OF 1974
	1,000 COLONIES		PERCENT		POUNDS			1,000 POUNDS		PERCENT	
ALA	52	47	47	100	19	30	18	988	1,410	846	60
ARIZ	56	55	51	93	75	60	45	4,200	3,300	2,295	70
ARK	74	75	76	104	34	28	28	2,516	2,100	2,184	104
CALIF	500	500	500	100	62	47	49	31,000	23,500	24,500	104
COLO	35	36	39	108	54	81	67	1,890	2,916	2,613	90
CONN	8	8	8	100	23	17	32	184	136	256	188
OEL	1	1	1	100	34	20	30	34	20	30	150
FLA	364	368	360	98	92	44	68	33,488	16,192	24,480	151
GA	166	161	153	95	39	23	28	6,474	3,703	4,284	116
HAW	3	4	6	150	44	80	71	132	320	426	133
IDAHO	105	105	105	100	56	60	42	5,880	6,300	4,410	70
ILL	51	49	49	100	50	45	32	2,550	2,205	1,568	71
IND	79	80	79	99	37	32	32	2,923	2,560	2,528	99
IOWA	81	80	78	98	93	86	76	7,533	6,880	5,928	86
KANS	50	44	46	105	45	43	47	2,250	1,892	2,162	114
KY	67	67	67	100	27	24	30	1,809	1,608	2,010	125
LA	31	32	34	106	45	42	25	1,395	1,344	850	63
MAINE	4	4	4	100	33	33	23	132	132	92	70
MD	13	12	11	92	34	22	23	442	264	253	96
MASS	9	12	11	92	26	16	27	234	192	297	155
MICH	107	113	112	99	77	45	46	8,239	5,085	5,152	101
MINN	137	147	138	94	112	65	79	15,344	9,555	10,902	114
MISS	54	57	56	99	29	32	28	1,566	1,824	1,568	86
MO	84	100	105	105	67	45	62	5,628	4,500	6,510	145
MONT	78	81	80	99	101	88	94	7,878	7,128	7,520	106
NEBR	121	131	136	104	74	82	51	8,954	10,742	6,936	65
NEV	7	7	8	114	95	100	55	665	700	440	63
N H	4	4	4	100	33	19	26	132	76	104	137
N J	37	39	37	95	36	25	29	1,332	975	1,073	110
N MEX	15	16	17	107	50	57	55	750	912	935	103
N Y	122	126	115	91	52	49	53	6,344	6,174	6,095	99
N C	189	187	195	104	21	21	17	3,969	3,927	3,315	84
N DAK	72	80	86	107	100	80	94	7,200	6,400	8,084	126
OHIO	116	122	118	97	33	25	27	3,828	3,050	3,186	104
OKLA	62	61	64	105	26	45	44	1,612	2,745	2,816	103
OREG	62	51	45	88	41	35	38	2,542	1,785	1,710	96
PA	95	100	86	86	40	21	25	3,800	2,100	2,150	102
R I	1	1	1	100	27	19	19	27	19	19	100
S C	62	55	50	91	23	14	14	1,426	770	700	91
S DAK	131	148	158	107	110	50	71	14,410	7,400	11,218	152
TENN	145	152	150	99	26	20	24	3,770	3,040	3,600	118
TEX	210	210	208	99	47	49	62	9,870	10,290	12,896	125
UTAH	43	45	46	102	27	36	42	1,161	1,620	1,932	119
VT	6	6	6	100	35	30	35	210	180	210	117
VA	79	79	76	96	21	28	27	1,659	2,212	2,052	93
WASH	92	95	98	103	42	33	35	3,864	3,135	3,430	109
W VA	84	97	89	92	22	14	19	1,848	1,358	1,691	125
WIS	104	109	114	105	110	71	48	11,440	7,739	5,472	71
WYO	35	36	38	106	61	74	74	2,135	2,664	2,812	106
U S	4,103	4,195	4,163	99	57.9	44.1	47.2	237,657	185,079	196,540	106

HONEY: PRICE, VALUE OF PRODUCTION, AND STOCKS ON HAND DECEMBER 15,
FOR SALE, 1973 - 75

STATE	AVERAGE PRICE PER POUND			VALUE OF PRODUCTION			HONEY STOCKS ON HAND DECEMBER 15 FOR SALE		
	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975
	DOLLARS			1,000 DOLLARS			1,000 POUNDS		
ALA	.431	.553	.767	426	780	649	59	85	76
ARIZ	.391	.446	.449	1,642	1,472	1,030	336	429	207
ARK	.406	.440	.477	1,021	924	1,042	126	378	546
CALIF	.430	.439	.419	13,330	10,317	10,266	4,650	3,760	4,900
COLO	.445	.522	.566	841	1,610	1,479	529	904	1,045
CONN	.728	.828	1.01	134	113	259	28	26	97
DEL	.691	.757	.772	23	15	23	5	2	5
FLA	.415	.443	.442	13,898	7,173	10,820	2,344	1,619	2,938
GA	.436	.496	.494	2,823	1,837	2,116	388	296	343
HAW	.441	.501	.514	58	160	219	47	75	162
IDAHO	.433	.495	.483	2,546	3,119	2,130	1,058	1,008	706
ILL	.500	.601	.655	1,275	1,325	1,027	765	662	282
IND	.534	.650	.659	1,561	1,664	1,666	1,140	845	1,011
IOWA	.422	.502	.483	3,179	3,454	2,863	1,431	1,514	1,186
KANS	.424	.521	.509	954	986	1,100	225	454	411
KY	.532	.660	.734	962	1,061	1,475	308	257	271
LA	.363	.432	.431	506	581	366	84	323	51
MAINE	.615	.739	.895	81	98	82	37	8	23
MD	.589	.671	.681	260	177	172	49	32	30
MASS	.668	.812	.969	156	156	288	44	10	87
MICH	.431	.481	.474	3,551	2,446	2,442	3,213	1,424	1,288
MINN	.431	.514	.476	6,613	4,911	5,189	1,688	1,815	1,308
MISS	.461	.482	.583	722	879	914	188	182	172
MO	.553	.736	.775	3,112	3,312	5,045	1,688	810	651
MONT	.414	.501	.473	3,261	3,571	3,557	1,497	4,277	1,730
NEBR	.449	.498	.466	4,020	5,350	3,232	1,880	2,148	694
NEV	.402	.502	.580	267	351	255	67	35	132
N H	.786	.882	1.09	104	67	113	13	11	9
N J	.584	.738	.767	778	720	823	400	176	322
N MEX	.407	.470	.533	305	429	498	120	438	206
N Y	.443	.526	.529	2,810	3,248	3,224	1,396	556	1,646
N C	.513	.646	.719	2,036	2,537	2,383	278	589	398
N DAK	.440	.490	.463	3,168	3,136	3,743	1,440	320	1,698
OHIO	.446	.515	.515	1,707	1,571	1,641	1,148	763	637
OKLA	.523	.599	.609	843	1,644	1,715	306	412	563
OREG	.485	.573	.559	1,233	1,023	956	203	143	393
PA	.443	.594	.589	1,683	1,247	1,266	1,330	735	645
R I	.718	.838	1.01	19	16	19	3	4	3
S C	.408	.567	.626	582	437	438	143	85	70
S DAK	.467	.485	.448	6,729	3,589	5,026	1,153	1,110	1,010
TENN	.578	.713	.713	2,179	2,168	2,567	679	304	432
TEX	.403	.457	.459	3,978	4,703	5,919	1,184	1,544	1,290
UTAH	.491	.575	.572	570	932	1,105	197	292	676
VT	.578	.727	.849	121	131	178	44	40	40
VA	.443	.525	.497	735	1,161	1,020	315	288	205
WASH	.465	.499	.477	1,797	1,564	1,636	309	564	446
W VA	.621	.697	.793	1,148	947	1,341	333	136	237
WIS	.418	.509	.509	4,782	3,939	2,785	2,517	1,780	1,259
WYO	.424	.496	.476	905	1,321	1,339	278	80	169
U S	.444	.510	.506	105,434	94,372	99,441	37,663	33,748	32,706

BEE SWAX: PRODUCTION, PRICE AND VALUE OF PRODUCTION, 1973-1975

STATE	PRODUCTION			PRICE PER POUND			VALUE		
	19723	19734	19745	19733	19734	19745	19733	19734	19745
	1,000 POUNDS			DOLLARS			1,000 DOLLARS		
ALA	30	32	28	.77	1.00	1.02	23	32	29
ALAS									
ARIZ	80	53	46	.62	.97	.92	50	51	42
ARK	45	38	39	.77	.99	.93	35	38	36
CALIF	558	376	441	.74	1.16	1.04	413	436	459
COLO	45	58	52	.74	1.20	.98	36	70	51
CONN	4	3	3	.80	1.25	1.10	3	4	3
DEL	1	1	1	.90	1.20	1.40	1	1	1
FLA	565	259	343	.74	1.20	.95	421	311	326
GA	97	93	77	.69	1.09	1.11	67	101	85
HAW	5	8	16	.90	1.23	1.10	5	10	18
IDAHO	106	120	84	.68	1.21	1.07	72	145	90
ILL	51	40	25	.74	1.15	1.03	38	46	26
IND	75	72	32	.84	1.14	1.14	66	82	36
IOWA	128	117	101	.76	1.18	1.03	97	138	104
KANS	43	36	37	.77	.95	.94	33	34	35
KY	33	37	36	.65	1.14	1.25	21	42	45
LA	28	27	17	.78	1.19	.97	22	32	16
MAINE	3	1	2	.80	1.10	1.00	2	1	2
MD	8	6	4	.90	1.20	1.40	7	7	6
MASS	4	4	7	.90	1.10	1.10	4	4	8
MICH	165	97	82	.79	1.25	.94	130	121	77
MINN	276	172	185	.74	1.07	1.05	204	184	194
MISS	22	36	36	.69	1.10	.96	15	40	35
MO	73	68	65	.90	1.16	.94	66	79	61
MONT	158	114	135	.73	1.25	1.12	115	143	151
NEBR	179	204	132	.69	1.20	1.02	124	245	135
NEV	8	12	6	.70	1.23	1.10	6	15	7
N H	3	2	4	.90	1.00	1.05	3	2	4
N J	27	22	23	.77	1.20	1.13	21	26	26
N MEX	12	15	15	.50	.95	1.24	6	14	19
N Y	108	99	91	.81	1.17	1.03	87	116	94
N C	91	118	99	.70	.95	.90	64	112	89
N DAK	122	166	113	.83	1.25	1.08	101	208	122
OHIO	70	52	54	.83	1.08	.96	58	56	52
OKLA	27	47	56	.74	1.31	1.01	20	62	57
OREG	51	36	31	.68	1.00	1.05	35	36	33
PA	61	40	43	.79	1.05	.98	48	42	42
R I	1	1	1	.90	1.15	1.10	1	1	1
S C	30	18	15	.70	.93	1.11	21	17	17
S DAK	173	118	157	.74	1.00	1.04	128	118	163
TENN	75	70	68	.70	1.13	1.02	53	79	69
TEX	197	165	232	.75	1.10	1.00	148	182	232
UTAH	17	29	44	.65	1.11	.88	11	32	39
VT	4	5	3	.80	1.15	1.05	3	6	3
VA	25	38	31	.85	1.22	1.06	21	46	33
WASH	81	66	72	.60	1.10	1.10	49	73	79
W VA	26	23	25	.80	.95	1.00	21	22	25
WIS	183	132	82	.77	1.24	1.04	141	164	85
WYO	45	59	62	.69	1.11	1.18	31	65	73
U S	4,231	3,405	3,353	.774	1.14	1.02	3,147	3,891	3,435

HONEY: AVERAGE PRICE PER POUND RECEIVED BY PRODUCERS, 1973-1975

STATE	WHOLESALE EXTRACTED HONEY											
	UNPROCESSED BULK						PROCESSED BULK					
	55 GAL. CONTAINERS			60 LB. CONTAINERS			ALL			55 GAL. CONTAINERS		
	1973 :	1974 :	1975 :	1973 :	1974 :	1975 :	1973 :	1974 :	1975 :	1973 :	1974 :	1975 :
	DOLLARS											
ALA	.37	.47	.44	.37	.47	.44	.37	.47	.44	.39	.48	.45
ALAS												
ARIZ	.39	.43	.41	.42	.45	.47	.39	.43	.43	.39	.45	.42
ARK	.40	.41	.45	.37	.46	.46	.40	.41	.45	.37	.43	.47
CALIF	.43	.44	.42	.40	.45	.45	.43	.44	.42	.47	.48	.44
COLO	.40	.47	.47	.41	.50	.55	.40	.48	.49			
CONN												
DEL				.45	.55	.53	.45	.55	.53			
FLA	.40	.42	.40		.44	.49	.40	.42	.40	.42	.48	.42
GA	.41	.43	.42	.53	.53	.48	.41	.43	.42		.44	.45
HAW	.45	.50	.50	.43		.50	.44	.50	.50		.50	.58
IDAHO	.43	.48	.47	.40	.50	.51	.42	.49	.47			
ILL	.50	.56	.57	.40	.48	.57	.45	.52	.57	.48	.54	.59
IND	.45	.56	.49	.41	.51	.51	.42	.53	.50	.53	.68	.58
IOWA	.42	.48	.46	.42	.49	.50	.42	.48	.46			
KANS	.41	.50	.48	.39	.50	.54	.41	.50	.48	.37	.50	.52
KY	.47	.53	.55	.43	.51	.57	.44	.51	.57	.50	.59	.64
LA	.33	.40	.38				.33	.40	.38			
MAINE												
MD	.53	.63	.52	.41	.55	.53	.42	.55	.52	.62	.68	.63
MASS												
MICH	.42	.46	.45	.38	.45	.48	.41	.46	.45	.47	.47	.47
MINN	.41	.51	.47	.39	.51	.50	.41	.51	.47	.42	.54	.50
MISS	.39	.38	.47	.42	.36	.49	.40	.38	.48	.35	.30	.49
MO	.43	.60	.58	.49	.63	.55	.45	.61	.57			
MONT	.41	.49	.45	.41	.50	.54	.41	.49	.46	.37	.50	.48
NEBR	.45	.49	.46	.42	.48	.49	.44	.49	.46	.41	.54	.47
NEV	.35	.42	.49	.37	.48	.56	.37	.48	.56	.38	.43	.50
N H												
N J	.40	.55	.55				.40	.55	.55	.45	.60	.60
N MEX	.36	.47	.49	.39	.45	.50	.39	.45	.50	.41	.46	.56
N Y	.43	.48	.45	.41	.50	.54	.42	.49	.48	.42	.56	.51
N C	.48	.50	.49	.46	.50	.50	.48	.50	.49	.50	.47	.54
N DAK	.44	.49	.46	.53	.56	.52	.44	.49	.46	.38	.55	.48
OHIO	.40	.45	.43	.38	.47	.48	.40	.45	.44	.51	.52	.49
OKLA	.48	.49	.47	.39	.50	.50	.45	.49	.48			
OREG	.49	.56	.43	.46	.57	.59	.48	.57	.55	.49	.66	.55
PA	.41	.57	.48	.35	.53	.52	.36	.54	.51	.42	.68	.56
R I												
S C	.27	.40	.44	.28	.41	.45	.28	.41	.45	.30	.44	.48
S DAK	.47	.48	.44	.46	.53	.48	.47	.48	.44	.50	.51	.45
TENN	.58	.66	.56			.59	.58	.66	.57	.47	.59	.57
TEX	.39	.43	.42	.39	.43	.45	.39	.43	.42	.40	.42	.47
UTAH	.43	.54	.54	.56	.56	.55	.47	.55	.54	.45	.52	.55
VT				.36	.58	.55	.36	.58	.55	.45	.60	.59
VA	.37	.45	.42	.40	.51	.47	.39	.49	.45	.46	.49	.45
WASH	.46	.47	.44	.47	.60	.57	.46	.48	.45	.46	.50	.54
W VA	.42	.50	.52	.41	.47	.51	.41	.48	.51	.50	.54	.54
WIS	.41	.49	.48	.41	.50	.51	.41	.49	.48	.45	.50	.56
WYO	.42	.49	.47	.44	.60	.56	.42	.49	.47			
U S	.424	.476	.453	.419	.490	.499	.421	.477	.457	.439	.504	.479

HONEY: AVERAGE PRICE PER POUND RECEIVED BY PRODUCERS, 1973-75

STATE	WHOLESALE EXTRACTED HONEY								
	TOTAL BULK			PACKAGE			ALL 1/		
	ALL CONTAINERS								
	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975
				D O L L A R S					
ALA	.37	.47	.44	.44	.54	.67	.38	.47	.46
ARIZ	.39	.44	.43		.50	.58	.39	.44	.44
ARK	.40	.41	.45	.41	.60	.63	.40	.43	.47
CALIF	.43	.44	.42	.57		.44	.43	.44	.42
COLO	.40	.48	.49	.51	.67	.68	.44	.55	.56
CONN				.61	.76	.93	.61	.76	.93
DEL	.45	.55	.53	.57	.61	.65	.57	.61	.64
FLA	.40	.42	.40	.48	.49	.67	.40	.43	.41
GA	.41	.43	.42	.55	.70	.70	.41	.44	.43
HAW	.44	.50	.51	.31	.50	.55	.43	.50	.51
IDAHO	.42	.49	.47	.56	.62	.60	.43	.49	.48
ILL	.45	.52	.57	.52	.62	.70	.47	.55	.61
IND	.43	.54	.51	.55	.69	.74	.48	.60	.59
IOWA	.42	.48	.46	.47	.58	.58	.42	.49	.47
KANS	.41	.50	.48	.50	.61	.67	.41	.50	.49
KY	.44	.52	.58	.48	.72	.75	.45	.54	.59
LA	.33	.40	.38	.40	.61	.58	.33	.40	.39
MAINE				.54	.66	.77	.54	.66	.77
MD	.44	.56	.53	.59	.66	.70	.54	.63	.64
MASS				.58	.66	.83	.58	.66	.83
MICH	.42	.46	.45	.50	.65	.66	.42	.46	.45
MINN	.41	.51	.47	.54	.63	.63	.42	.51	.47
MISS	.39	.37	.48	.49	.62	.72	.42	.43	.54
MO	.45	.61	.57	.51	.71	.73	.49	.68	.68
MONT	.41	.49	.46	.51	.60	.59	.41	.49	.46
NEBR	.44	.49	.46	.55	.63	.61	.45	.50	.46
NEV	.37	.48	.56	.47	.53	.58	.38	.48	.56
N H				.68	.73	.94	.68	.73	.94
N J	.43	.58	.58	.58	.72	.71	.53	.67	.66
N MEX	.39	.45	.52	.47	.55	.61	.40	.46	.52
N Y	.42	.49	.49	.55	.64	.74	.43	.50	.50
N C	.48	.49	.51	.55	.70	.79	.49	.62	.68
N DAK	.44	.49	.46	.55	.56	.68	.44	.49	.46
OHIO	.40	.46	.45	.54	.63	.67	.42	.48	.48
OKLA	.45	.49	.48	.58	.68	.71	.50	.56	.56
OREG	.48	.57	.55	.48	.60	.67	.48	.57	.55
PA	.37	.56	.52	.51	.59	.65	.40	.56	.54
R I				.60	.72	.92	.60	.72	.92
S C	.29	.42	.46	.40	.54	.60	.39	.54	.59
S DAK	.47	.48	.44	.52	.61	.60	.47	.48	.45
TENN	.53	.63	.57	.62	.76	.76	.54	.64	.59
TEX	.39	.43	.42	.45	.57	.62	.39	.43	.43
UTAH	.47	.55	.54	.46	.61	.64	.47	.55	.55
VT	.38	.59	.56	.38	.72	.84	.57	.71	.83
VA	.40	.49	.45	.50	.60	.58	.42	.50	.47
WASH	.46	.49	.46		.61	.63	.46	.49	.46
W VA	.43	.49	.52	.54	.61	.66	.46	.52	.56
WIS	.41	.49	.48	.51	.62	.66	.41	.49	.49
WYO	.42	.49	.47	.51	.51	.57	.42	.49	.47
U S	.421	.477	.458	.521	.608	.628	.430	.491	.478

1/ TOTAL BULK PLUS PACKAGED.

HONEY: AVERAGE PRICE PER POUND RECEIVED BY PRODUCERS, 1973-75

STATE	RETAILED EXTRACTED			CHUNK			COMB		
	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975
	DOLLARS								
ALA	.48	.64	1.28	.51	.66	.96	.57	.73	1.03
ARIZ		.60	.60						
ARK	.59	.73	.74		.61	.78		.65	.75
CALIF		.60	.52		.53				
COLO	.59	.70	.71		.70	.73	.52	.81	.94
CONN	.77	.85	1.04						
DEL	.74	.81	.82	.70	.81	.82	.70	.86	.87
FLA	.53	.58	.64	.70	.63	.86			.80
GA	.62	.84	.90	.65	.68	.79	.50	.64	.66
HAW	.43	.51	.58						
IDAHO	.50	.59	.57						
ILL	.60	.77	.83	.66	.89	.94	.74	1.08	1.00
IND	.64	.75	.80	.83	.91	1.00	.86	.90	.95
IOWA	.55	.77	.82					.78	1.04
KANS	.59	.74	.73						
KY	.62	.83	.84	.60	.72	.89	.57	.60	.80
LA	.58	.69	.76						
MAINE	.68	.81	1.01	.75	.88	1.20	.78	.91	1.13
MD	.73	.78	.79	.65	.78	.78	.70	.83	.83
MASS	.73	.93	1.07	.85	1.05	1.20	.90	1.03	1.24
MICH	.57	.76	.73	.60	.79	.77	.66	.84	.82
MINN	.57	.76	.72	.68	.82	.79	.67	.89	.93
MISS	.61	.67	.75	.57	.63	.69	.58	.63	.72
MO	.54	.76	.85	.77	.91	.99	.68	.80	.84
MONT	.52	.69	.68					.98	1.06
NEBR	.54	.66	.76						
NEV	.70	.76	.85	.80	.90	.95	.78	.85	.90
N H	.80	.90	1.12	.76	.86	1.06	.94	1.03	1.18
N J	.68	.87	.98	.82	.92	.96	.88	1.04	1.19
N MEX	.56	.65	.71						
N Y	.59	.74	.81	.73	1.02	1.12	.71	.90	.99
N C	.80	.77	.92	.67	.70	.73	.65	.81	.94
N DAK	.53	.64	.73						
OHIO	.65	.80	.87	.75	.90	.98	.70	.94	.91
OKLA	.63	.77	.82	.75	.94	.98			
OREG	.50	.66	.66		.75	.85		.75	.75
PA	.64	.71	.77	.64	.73	.83	.66	.77	.88
R I	.78	.90	1.06						
S C	.46	.62	.68	.40	.61	.67	.48	.65	.71
S DAK	.50	.58	.63						
TENN	.62	.80	.85	.64	.79	.90	.62	.89	.87
TEX	.53	.68	.74						
UTAH	.58	.64	.64		.83	.83		.78	.78
VT	.66	.80	.92	.60	.75	1.00	.67	.91	1.10
VA	.61	.66	.71	.57	.66	.66	.58	.71	.74
WASH	.51	.65	.68						
W VA	.65	.74	.88	.69	.78	.83	.69	.73	.84
WIS	.58	.70	.74					.91	1.04
WYO	.64	.72	.73						
U S	.564	.681	.710	.681	.721	.868	.651	.839	.887

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